



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**Applicants:** Junichi TAKEUCHI, et al.

**Examiner:** Scheibel, Robert C.

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FOR DATA COMMUNICATION VIA A CABLE

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

Sir:

In response to the FINAL Office Action dated July 22, 2005, Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner reconsider the application in view of the following amendment and remarks filed concurrently with a Request for Continuation and that the application be allowed.

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